SENATE MOTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I move that Senate Bill 108 be amended to read as follows:

Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new paragraph and insert:

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- (b) Payment shall be made for all wages earned to a date not more than ten (10) **business** days prior to the date of payment. However, this subsection does not prevent payments being made at shorter intervals than specified in this subsection, nor repeal any law providing for payments at shorter intervals. However, if an employee voluntarily leaves employment, either permanently or temporarily, the employer shall not be required to pay the employee an amount due the employee until the next usual and regular day for payment of wages, as established by the employer. If an employee leaves employment voluntarily, and without the employee's whereabouts or address being known to the employer, the employer is not subject to section 2 of this chapter until:
 - (1) ten (10) **business** days have elapsed after the employee has made a demand for the wages due the employee; or
- 27 (2) the employee has furnished the employer with the 28 employee's address where the wages may be sent or 29 forwarded.".
- Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 108 as printed January 27, 2006.)

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